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What Do They Cure?

The above question is often asked concerning Dr. Pierce's two leading medicines, "Golden Medical Discovery" and "Favorite Prescription."

The answer is that "Golden Medical Discovery" is a most potent alterative or blood-purifier, and tonic or invigorator and acts especially favorably in a curative way upon all the mucous lining surfaces, as of the nasal passages, throat, bronchial tubes, stomach, bowels and bladder, curing a large per cent. of catarrhal cases whether the disease affects the nasal passages, the throat, larynx, bronchia, stomach (as catarrhal dyspepsia), bowels, (as mucous colitis), bladder, uterus or other pelvic organs. Even in the chronic or ulcerative stages of these affections it is often successful in effecting cures.

The "Favorite Prescription" is advised for the cure of one class of diseases—those peculiar weaknesses, derangements and irregularities incident to women only. It is a powerful yet gently acting invigorating tonic and nervine. For weak women, over-worked women—no matter what has caused the break-down, "Favorite Prescription" will be found most effective in building up the strength, regulating the womanly functions, subduing pain and bringing about a healthy, vigorous condition of the whole system.

A book of particulars wraps each bottle giving the formulæ of both medicines and quoting what scores of eminent medical authors, whose works are consulted by physicians of all the schools of practice as guides in prescribing, say of each ingredient entering into these medicines.

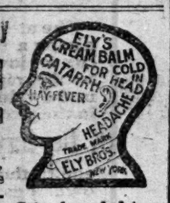
The words of praise bestowed on the several ingredients entering into Doctor Pierce's medicines by such writers should have more weight than any amount of non-professional testimonials, because such men are writing for the guidance of their medical brethren and know whereof they speak.

Both medicines are non-alcoholic, non-secret, and contain no harmful habit-forming drugs, being composed of glyceric extracts of the roots of native, American medicinal forest plants. They are both sold by dealers in medicine. You can't afford to accept as a substitute for one of these medicines of known composition, any secret nostrum.

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Ely's Cream Balm



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It cleanses, soothes, heals and protects the diseased membrane resulting from Catarrh and drives away a Cold in the Head quickly. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Full size 50 cts. at Druggists or by mail. Liquid Cream Balm for use in atomizers 75 cts. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

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By insurance we mean the chain that you attach to your watch to prevent dropping or losing it.

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Ladies'	Solid Gold,	from	$9.50 up.
Gentlemen's	"	"	$9.00 "
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Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect, resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of public concern, will only be printed in the paper as advertisements.

Marriage and death notices must be paid for in advance.

[Entered at the Postoffice of Alexandria, Virginia, as second-class matter.]

TILLMAN'S VAGRANT LAW.

As was stated in the Gazette, Senator Tillman yesterday introduced a vagrancy bill for the District of Columbia based upon the Massachusetts code. He took this action in view of the many hold-ups and the series of attacks on women which have recently seriously engaged the attention of the Washington police force.

The bill provides that the following described persons in the District of Columbia shall be declared vagrants:

Idle persons who, not having visible means of support, live without lawful employment.

Persons wandering abroad and visiting tippling shops or houses of ill-fame, or lodging in groceries, outhouses, market-houses, sheds, barns or in the open air and not giving a good account of themselves.

Persons wandering abroad and begging, or who go about from door to door, or place themselves in the streets, highways and passages or other public places to beg and receive alms.

All persons leading idle, immoral or profligate lives, who have no property to support them or who are able of body to work, and no not work, including all able-bodied persons without other visible means of support who shall live in idleness upon the wages or earnings of their mothers, wives or minor children.

The bill provides that persons convicted shall be required to enter into security for not more than $500, conditioned upon good behavior and industry for a period of one year, and if such security is not given they are to be committed to the workhouse of the District of Columbia for not more than a year.

The bill has been sweepingly drawn, as explained by Senator Tillman, so as to make sure of catching all vagrants in the net of the law.

MYSTERIOUS DROWNING.

With indications that she leaped or was thrown to her death from the deck of one of the Long Island Sound steamers, the body of a well-dressed woman was found floating in the water yesterday opposite the home of Mrs. Eugene Bailey, of Mattituck.

The woman was about thirty years old. She wore a black silk skirt and white waist. Her teeth were white and even, with the exception of two, which were gold-filled. Her forehead was broad and her eyes blue. The point that baffles the coroner and the police in identifying the woman is that her hair is entirely gone. The coroner said the body had been in the water at least a week.

A strange feature of the case is that the woman was dressed in light summer clothing. Her undergarments are the thinnest, and her dress was the kind usually worn on summer days.

What To Do When Bilious.

The right thing to do when you feel bilious is to take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will cleanse the stomach and regulate the liver and bowels. Try it. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at W. F. Creighton's and Richard Gibson's drug stores.

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ADVERTISED FOR A WIFE.

Miss May E. Terry and Mr. John W. Cain, who had never seen each other before her arrival from Lima, Ohio, Tuesday night, were married yesterday at the parsonage of Washington Street Methodist Episcopal Church, Petersburg, by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Winn. When the bride arrived she was identified by a piece of white ribbon pinned on her shoulder. Mr. Cain was similarly marked. Last December he advertised in a matrimonial paper published at Toledo, Ohio, and received 10 answers from women who were willing to take him "for better or for worse." An agreement was reached after an exchange of photographs with Miss Terry. Mr. Cain has twice before been married, and he and his bride are each about 50 years of age. After the ceremony the couple left for the home of the groom, in Carson, Prince George county, Va.

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STATEMENT.

Citizens' National Bank of Alexandria, Va.,

DECEMBER 3, 1907.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans	$569,556.85	Capital	$100,000.00
U. S. Bonds, to secure circulation,	100,000.00	Surplus	50,000.00
		Undivided Profits	56,252.57
Bonds, to secure U. S. Deposit	53,000 00	Circulation	98,900 00
		Deposits	586,818.29
Other Bonds and Stocks	28,111.56	U. S. Deposit	50,000.00
Banking House & Real Estate	52,856.97		
Cash	43,921.72		
Due from Banks & Reserve Agents,	94,523.76		
	$941,970.86		$941,970.86

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No Additional Charge for Deliveries in Washington.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 23th day of January, 1908.

Henry C. Bernhardt vs. Susie L. Bernhardt } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Susie L. Bernhardt, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Samuel G. Brent, p. q. jan23 w4w thu

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria on the 21st day of January, 1908.

Anna M. Gillman vs. George H. Gillman } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Geo. H. Gillman, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered that said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
H. M. Ellison, p. q. jan21 w4w tu

PROPOSALS.

Office of Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md., January 29, 1908. Sealed Proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 2 p. m. March 3, 1908, for furnishing and installing Screen Doors and Windows in buildings at Fort Hunt, Va. Information regarding plans and specifications may be obtained at this office and intending bidders will be furnished them upon depositing the sum of $5.00, which will be refunded upon return of same. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for furnishing and installing Screens at Fort Hunt, Va.," and addressed to the Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md.

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Office of Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md., January 28, 1908. Sealed Proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 2 p. m. March 2, 1908, for the construction of Macadam Roads, Brick Gutters, Concrete Abutment, Catch Basins, Railroad Track, and the Re-surfacing of Roads at Fort Hunt, Va. Information regarding plans and specifications may be obtained at this office and intending bidders will be furnished them upon depositing the sum of $5.00, which will be refunded upon return of same. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for Constructing Macadam Roads, Brick Gutters, Concrete Abutment, Catch Basins, Railroad Track, etc., at Fort Hunt, Va.," and addressed to the Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md.

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Fort Myer, Va., January 23, 1908. Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at the Office of the Quartermaster, until 11 o'clock a. m., February 24, 1908, and then opened, for the construction of 1 Set Field Officers' Quarters, 3 Double Sets Lieutenants' Quarters, 1 Barrack, 1 Stable, 1 Gun Shed and 1 Stable Guard and Shop. Certified check or Surety Company's guarantee for ten per cent of the amount must accompany each bid. Plans and specifications will be furnished on application to this office and are on file with the following: Depot Quartermaster, New York and St. Louis and Chief Quartermaster, Chicago. A deposit of $10 for each set of plans must accompany request to insure safe return. The Government reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for Buildings" and addressed Captain B. B. Hyer, Constructing Quartermaster.

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Office of Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md., January 30, 1908—Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 2 p. m. March 4, 1908, for the construction of one double barrack building at Fort Washington, Md. Information regarding plans and specifications may be obtained at this office and intending bidders will be furnished them upon depositing the sum of $10, which will be refunded upon return of same. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for Constructing Double Barrack Building at Fort Washington, Md.," and addressed to the Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md.

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General Depot of the Quartermaster's Department, Washington, D.C., Feb. 15, 1908—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 11 o'clock a. m., Monday, March 16, 1908, and then publicly opened, for grading at Arlington National Cemetery, Va. Plans and specifications can be had and information obtained, on application to this office. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Grading," and addressed to MAJOR M. GRAY ZALINSKI, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C.

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AUCTION SALE.

R. F. Knox, auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF A DESIRABLE HOUSE AND LOT IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust, dated June 6, 1905, and duly recorded among the land records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 54, page 53, given by John B. Montgomery and Morsia Montgomery, his wife, to the undersigned Trustees, to secure the Mercantile Railway Building & Loan Association of Alexandria, Virginia, the payment of a sum of money as therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of said sum, and at the request and by the direction of the Board of Directors of said Mercantile Railway Building & Loan Association, the under igned will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock noon, on

TUESDAY, March 3, 1908,

all that lot of ground, with the improvements thereon, in th s city,

Beginning at a point on the east side of West street one hundred and thirty feet, two inches north of Duke street, and running thence north on West street fourteen feet, two inches to an alley two feet wide; thence east parallel with Duke street one hundred and nineteen feet, five inches to an alley four feet wide; thence south on said four-feet alley fourteen feet, two inches; thence west in a direct line to the beginning, with the right of way over said alleys in common with others entitled thereto.

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Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 10 30 a. m., and 3 30, 8 15 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 a. m., 12 m and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7 10 a. m. and 3 20 p. m. Open at 12 30 and 9 30 p. m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 30 a. m., and 4 00 p. m. Open at 9 00 a. m. and 2 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 3 20 p. m. and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 10, a. m. 8 45 and 11 30 a. m., and 2 00, 2 30, 8 15 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.

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Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 10 00 a. m.

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THURSDAY EVENING, FEB. 20, 1908.

REV. DR. CYRUS CORT, a retired minister of the Reformed Church, now living at Overlea, near Baltimore, declares that prohibition is unscriptural and ineffective, and that to indorse it would be to nullify and pervert many passages of the Scriptures. At the same time he declares prohibition contrary to the aim of free constitutional government. Among other things he says:

These views are confirmed by the history of prohibitory legislation and the inexorable logic of events. As a practical measure of temperance reform prohibition has been largely a failure, and tends to create a community of spies, informers and hypocrites, the most abominable state of society that we can conceive. High license is self-enforcing, but prohibition cannot be made effective without an army of paid detectives, who obtain evidence by falsehood and treachery. So-called temperance advocates of the prohibition persuasion are the most intemperate and unreasonable people in the world. In Iowa at one time every saloon was out of business, and every drug store was a saloon. Druggists made fortunes by selling liquor, and physicians made money writing prescriptions for it. As much was sold as ever, but the community derived no revenue from the sale. Wine and corn and oil were recognized as among the choicest gifts that God could bestow upon the children of men in response to their honest industry. All reliable commentators, Oriental scholars and travelers agree in declaring that such a thing as unfermented wine was unknown in Bible lands. Wine was not true wine until it was thoroughly fermented, and we have the word of our Saviour in saying that the old wine is the better. There is something significant in the fact that the first miracle of Jesus was the changing of a large quantity of water into excellent wine at a wedding festival, and in the institution of wine as a principal element in the observance of the sacrament.

IMPRESSED by the present high price of anthracite coal, the Trades League has started an investigation of its causes, especially in regard to the exorbitant freight rates, and it is altogether probable that the matter will be placed before the State Railroad Commission of Pennsylvania. Among the glaring inconsistencies of present prices is the fact that Philadelphia pays $5.45 per gross ton for coal transported 100 miles, while Buffalo, which is approximately 260 miles from Pennsylvania's coal fields, pays but $5.50 per ton. Consumers in Philadelphia pay $7 a ton retail, while those in Canada, despite their much greater distance from the coal region, pay but $7.25 a ton. In view of these conditions the committees on law and freight transportation of the Trades League will go into all phases of the price question. While admitting that there is more expense attached to the mining of coal than in former years, the league contends that conditions do not warrant the present prices. Dealers declare that the high freight rate is largely responsible.

SENATOR TILLMAN'S vagrant law, published elsewhere in the Gazette, might be adopted with profit in other places as well as the District of Columbia. The bill is aimed at whites as well as blacks. The Senator very truly says that widespread vagrancy in Washington is the cause of criminology. This, he believes, is owing to the overeducation of some negroes who are made to have higher aspirations than it is possible for them to attain. Mr. Tillman's bill defines, among other forms of vagrancy, "a man who lives on the earnings of his mother, wife or minor child." Senator Tillman says that the cause of crimes ought to be removed, if it is possible to find the cause, rather than go to the expense of attempting to stamp it out by arrests after the crimes are committed. He further says that from his knowledge of the negro race the widespread vagrancy which is evident in the District of Columbia as well as in other cities where the negroes live in large numbers, is the cause of this criminality.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., February 20.

With a promptness that emphasizes the close bond of sympathy between the President and the Interstate Commerce Commission, over the execution of the administration's policies, Martin A. Knapp, chairman of the latter organization, today started the machinery for the investigation of the operation of certain railroads contemplating wage reductions, in accordance with the President's directions made public yesterday. Every effort will be made to discover, beyond cavil, whether the proposed reductions are due to "natural causes," "unfriendly legislation, or misconduct," on the past financial other operations of any railroad. The Interstate Commerce Commission has already an abundance of reports on hand to aid it in the investigation. By the terms of the rate law, railroads are required, under penalty, to submit monthly statements to the commission, and they must submit such further information of a business nature, as the commission from time to time calls for.

Although the Senate is in the habit of adjourning over from Friday to the following Monday, an exception will be made this week, in honor of Washington's birthday. The Senate will assemble on the 22nd. to listen to the reading of the farewell address of the first American President, Senator McCumber of North Dakota having been selected for that duty.

The United States is not arranging to sell the Philippine Islands to Germany or to any other power. Officials here who would know if any such plan was in contemplation as out-lined in a story purporting to come from Paris declare that it is but a repetition of a silly canard, which is not worth dignifying with a formal denial. Some curiosity was expressed as to the possible motive for the periodical publication of the story that the United States has the Phillippines on the bargain counter, ready to sell to the highest bidder. All responsible officials of this government, from the President down, have repudiated the idea in the most emphatic terms and the reason for the continued reiteration of the yarn is hard to see.

W. B. Ridgely, Comptroller of the Currency, now practically admits that he will take the presidency of the National Bank of Commerce, of Kansas City. He is now in that city making arrangements for the release of the bank from the receivership.

The question of the establishment of postal savings banks was under consideration today by the Senate committee on postoffices and post roads. It is expected that the Knox bill will be reported favorably, possibly with some modifications.

The Washington Mercantile Association has sent an argument to the District Commissioners in opposition to the enactment of the prohibition bills now pending in Congress. They say there is no need of new or additional liquor legislation, and that the people of the District do not demand new laws. The statement is very comprehensive and includes copious extracts from Bishop Satterlee and Cardinal Gibbon's interviews on the subject. All persons, especially those who do not derive a pecuniary benefit from the liquor business, are asked to use their influence against prohibition in Washington.

Consideration of the Brownsville case was today postponed by the Senate committee on military affairs until Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock. Senator Foraker wanted the meeting to be held this afternoon so as to get the matter disposed of as early as possible. It is expected at that meeting to take the final vote upon the question whether the President was justified in discharging without honor from the army a whole battalion of colored soldiers of the 25th Infantry, on charges that some members of the companies were guilty of having "shot up" the town of Brownsville, Tex., and that the others were equally culpable in refusing to deliver up to justice those actually engaged in the fracas which, it will be remembered, resulted in the killing of one man and the wounding of the chief of police of the town. The majority of the committee will sustain the course of the President on the ground that the evidence taken furnishes circumstantial proof that members of the army battalion did the shooting. Senators Foraker and Bulkeley will make a minority report.

A prayer was offered in the House of Representatives today by Chaplain Couden for the army of unemployed in the land. "We find ourselves in the rigors of winter with hundreds forced to idleness without the means of subsistence. Give us light that we may solve the economic, social and industrial problems that thousands who will may work."

Sixtieth Congress.

Washington, Feb. 20.

SENATE.

In a voice broken with emotion, Senator Tillman made announcement to the Senate, soon after it met today, of the death of his colleague, Senator Latimer.

Then Tillman arose and stated that he had been startled this morning by the news that the surgical operation performed upon his colleague, Latimer, had resulted fatally. He never seemed to rally or to make any headway after the operation, said the Senator, and he died this morning shortly after nine o'clock. He then offered resolutions expressing "the deep regret and profound sorrow" of the Senate, asking the appointment of a committee of ten senators to take charge of the remains and escort them to South Carolina, requesting the co-operation of the House and that as a further mark of respect the Senate adjourn, all of which were adopted.

Vice President Fairbanks appointed as the Senate committee the following:

Senators Tillman (S. C.), Proctor (Vt.) Frazier (Tenn.), Foster (La.), Overman, (N. C.), Johnston (Ala.), Carter (Mont.), Dillingham (Vt.), Dixon (Mont.), and Smith (Mich.)

The Senate then at 12:12 adjourned until tomorrow.

HOUSE.

Immediately upon the convening of the House today, Representative Waldo (rep. N. Y.), after gaining recognition, announced that he desired to have Judge L. R. Wilfley, of the United States Court at Shanghai, a Missouri man, impeached for malpractice and corrupt conduct in his office. He sent to the clerk's desk articles of impeachment. Mr. Waldo's plan is to have the House instruct its judiciary committee to take proper action.

At 1:10 the House adjourned as a mark of respect to the late Senator Latimer, of South Carolina, which Representative Finley of that State announced.

Previous to adjournment Speaker Cannon announced the following House committee to attend the funeral:

Finley, Lever, Patterson, Ellerbe, Legare, Johnson and Aiken, all of South Carolina; Bennet, of New York; Burnett, of Alabama; Cock, of Colorado; Rodenberg, of Illinois; Hinshaw, of Nebraska; Pollard, of Nebraska; Lee, of Georgia; De Armond, of Missouri; Fairchild, of New York; Webb, of North Carolina; Kustermann, of Wisconsin; Stafford, of Wisconsin, and Wilson, of Illinois.

The spring fashion number (March) of the Woman's Home Companion has been received from its publishers. In its editorial columns Dr. Ed. E. Hale asks "What have you been reading?" Among the many special articles are to be noted, "Women of the Revolt," "The music of today," "Mental growth of babies," "Review of new books," Opening of the garden season," etc. "Household" and "Fashions" will interest women. The special departments are entertaining, as are the articles "For younger readers," and the fiction consists of five short stories and Elisabeth Stuart Phelps' Serial.

News of the Day.

Threats of a strike if wages are cut were made yesterday by officers of several railroad unions.

The German government is considering the expenses of buying out the Standard Oil Company and establishing a government monopoly.

Representatives of the various railroads made arguments before the House committee yesterday against the employers' liability bill.

Brigadier General Francis J. Dodge, U. S. A., retired, died in Washington late last night. Gen. Dodge was born in Massachusettes in 1843.

The suspension of J. E. Sherwin, a broker transacting a general brokerage business was announced on the New York Consolidated Exchange today.

A dispatch from Brussels says natives have sacked a Belgian factory in the Kasai district of the Congo and the uprising is spreading. Troops are being rushed to the scene.

The Court of Appeals at Albany, New York, has fixed the date for the execution of Chester Gillette, murderer of Grace Brown, for the week beginning Monday, March 30.

Praying the Almighty to forgive him, a sinner, William L. Handy, a negro, was hanged at Easton, Pa., today for the murder of Policeman Schuman, at South Bethleham last September.

Twenty-six midshipmen were yesterday recommended to be dropped from the rolls of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, as a result of the semi annual examinations at the Naval Academy.

Ensign Charles Ullmo, of the French navy, a distant relative of Dreyfus, was formally pronounced guilty today by the court-martial at Toulon, France, which tried him, of attempting to sell naval secrets.

The Rossiter report, which will be presented to the President early next week, will disclose a deficiency in the running expenses of the Government Printing Office of over half a million dollars.

In response to a Senate resolution introduced by Mr. Tillman, Secretary Cortelyou yesterday sent to the Senate a report showing that 306 national banks were placed in charge of receivers between January 1, 1893, and January 31, 1808.

That Harry Thaw's relatives will soon endeavor to secure his transfer from Matteawan to a private sanitarium, but that no move is contemplated to set him entirely at liberty is asserted in an article published here today and credited to the highest authority.

Senator Tillman charged in the Senate yesterday afternoon that the St. Paul and Pacific land syndicate, of Portland, Ore., was fraudulently using his name in its circular, urging people in Connecticut, Wisconsin, Virginia and other States to buy lands at present held by the Southern Pacific.

William and Alzina Birmingham, kidnappers of Lillian Wulffe, may live long behind penitentiary walls to regret their crime. Both were found guilty in Judge Kertzen's court in Chicago last night. The punishment of the man was fixed by the jury at thirty years in prison, and that of the woman at twenty-five years.

Several masked men entered the town hall at Daimiel, province of Ciudad Real, Spain, during a session of the municipal council and shot the mayor, and, according to one story, six councilors, killing them and wounding others. The murderers escaped. It is supposed they were actuated by a desire for political revenge.

Friction between Rev. J. Henning Nelms, rector of the Pro-Cathedral Church of the Ascension in Washington, and its choir and choirmaster, Ernest E. Leigh, culminated last night in the acceptance of Mr. Leigh's resignation by the vestrymen, gathered in special session, as a result of differences that occurred between the two men at choir rehearsal Tuesday evening.

Having brought death to ten persons in Chicago and its immediate vicinity, serious injury to scores, and tied all kinds of traffic, the worst storm of recent years abated yesterday and hurried eastward. All previous records in the Chicago weather bureau had been broken when the snow finally ceased falling. The official record shows a fall of 12 6-10 inches in twenty-four hours. The list of deaths was increased by eight yesterday, making ten in all who had succumbed to the storm in various ways.

Virginia News.

Charles Waller, a brakeman on the Potomac, Fredericksburg and Piedmont Railway, was yesterday cut in two at Tinders station by falling between the train.

Miss Lucy Allen, aged seventy-seven, died last night at her home, "Clifton," near Gaylord, after a short illness, due to general debility. She is survived by two sisters.

J. Henry Rives, who was for fourteen years after the war collector of internal revenue in Lynchburg, died at his daughter's home, in New York, Tuesday, aged seventy-four. He is survived by his wife and two sons and three daughters.

The Continental Trust Company, of Maryland, yesterday filed a bill of foreclosure in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in Richmond against the Seaboard Air Line Railroad and its allied interests. The bill was filed before Judge Pritchard. The proceedings are declared to be merely formal. The bill asks that the receivers of the road continue in charge of its affairs. An amendment to the original bill has been agreed upon and filed.

DIAMOND ROBBERY.

A $15,000 diamond robbery in broad daylight in the heart of New Orleans, with hundreds of persons passing at the time, was perpetrated in that city yesterday afternoon at the jewelry establishment of M. Waldhorn & Co.

Two men drove up in front of the store in a buggy. One of them alighted and smashed one of the large plate-glass windows in the front of the store. He quickly seized two trays filled with diamonds, and jumping back into the buggy was driven off. A large crowd started in pursuit, but the man, buggy and horse were soon lost to sight in a cloud of dust in the old French quarter. The proprietors of the jewelry store say the trays contained 112 diamond rings.

The Market.

Georgetown D. C., Feb. 20.—Wheat 90-95.

The Legislature.

SENATE.

Senator McAlexander has introduced a bill which amends the code in relation to the appointment of members of the electoral board. The amendment provides that the circuit judges in the counties and corporation judges in the cities shall select the members from the two political parties which cast the highest and next highest vote in the election preceding their appointment. The amendment provides for appointment during the month of February—one for one year, one for two years, and one for three years, and one to be appointed each year thereafter.

The bill to establish a new female normal school at Harrisonburg was passed.

HOUSE

A bill providing for the appointment of female wardens for jails in cities of more than 30,000 inhabitants was offered by Mr. Montague. The bill provides that the warden shall have charge of the female prisoners.

The Massie child labor bill, mutilated almost beyond recognition, was passed in the afternoon by a vote of 49 to 37, following a scene of the wildest confusion. The fight became so involved that it was hard to keep an accurate run of the thing. The House has not witnessed such a scene in a decade.

Mr. Houston offered a bill "to exclude suicide as defense in suits on life insurance policies, unless the time of the application for the policy."

A bill to provide for the establishment of a national negro museum in this State was offered by Mr. Glenn and referred to the finance committee. The measure, which is the result of the negro exhibit on the Jamestown Exposition grounds, provides that the sum of $14,000 be appropriated out of the sum to be returned by the Jamestown Exposition Commission to the State, to the negro development corporation, to be used by it for the removal of the negro building, now at the Exposition, and the erection and maintenance of the same at or near Richmond as a national negro museum.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senator Johnston, of Alabama, addressed the Senate yesterday upon his proposed amendment to the Aldrich bill, to increase the proportion of reserves required to be maintained in the vaults of national banks.

Senator Tillman offered a bill to regulate vagrancy in the District of Columbia, and blamed the negroes for the wave of crime which has troubled Washington.

Senator Hale submitted reports of Admirals Converse and Capps on the condition of the navy, and outlined the proposed investigation by the naval affairs committee.

Senator Hale, in asking the printing of the reports of Admirals Converse and Capps, in defense of the navy, assured the Senate that the committee would investigate every matter leading up to the Brownson accident. He suggested that the recent magazine criticism of the navy was based upon information that came from naval officers inspired by jealousy.

A bill authorizing the purchase of property on Georgetown Heights for a park was favorably reported by Senator Heyburn.

In executive session an arbitration treaty with France and a naturalization treaty with Peru were ratified.

At 4:50 p. m. the Senate adjourned until noon today.

Mr. Henry, of Texas, addressed the House for ten minutes in reply to the remarks of Representative Boutell, made on Tuesday.

The House, in committee of the whole, proceeded to the further consideration of the census bill. But little progress was made.

A petition for the impeachment of Judge L. R. Wilfley, of the U. S. Circuit Court at Shanghai, China, was introduced by Representative Waldo, of New York.

BOTHERED ABOUT THE DEBT.

Both houses of the West Virginia legislature took a recess yesterday at noon and at 2 o'clock a joint executive session was held, at which the Virginia debt question was discussed, as a result of which it was decided to appoint a non-partisan commission, composed of citizens and property holders, to advise the board of public works as to the best means of protecting the interests of the State in the suit now pending.

This plan was urged by Governor Dawson, Attorney-General May and Attorneys Wesley Molchan and George W. McClintic and seemed to meet with the approval of a majority of the members.

Following the executive session a resolution appointing the commission was introduced in the Senate and House and passed the Senate by a vote of 16 to 8. In the House the effort to pass the resolution under a suspension of the rules met defeat and the matter goes over until tomorrow.

SIX THOUSAND OUT OF WORK.

The Detroit, Michigan, Peninsular and Art Stove Manufacturing Companies, of Detroit, which employ between 6,000 and 7,000 men, yesterday issued a joint statement to the public pointing out that the demands of 280 stove mounters which they consider unreasonable are keeping 6,000 other men out of work. Ordinarily the stove works open for the season about January 10. In the conference with employes at the close of last year agreements were reached with all branches of them except the mounters, who, the companies say, demanded that the full force must be employed in shifts instead of the number the concerns had employment for. The companies unite in stating that as soon as the mounters' union concedes them the right to lay off men for whom there is no work the four establishments will open.

The Metropolitan for March has been received from its publishers in New York. It is an issue of unusual excellence. "The influence of the stock exchange on the development of America" is of utmost interest. "Americanizing the world's food products" will be widely read. Other good articles are "The Greenheart fleet," "The Scouts of progress," "The Motor Boat as a pleasure craft and the "Drama of the month." The fiction is strong and varied and "The world at large" illustrates and condenses the important news of the month.

Use DeWit's Little Early Risers, pleasant little pills. They are easy to take. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Today's Telegraphic News.

The Labor Situation.

New York, Feb. 20.—That the present critical labor situation on the railroads of the country will have an evil effect on the stock market for some time to come is the generally accepted belief in financial circles today. President Roosevelt's action in demanding an investigation of conditions and knowledge that he is determined to learn whether or not wage reductions are warranted has been a strong bear document, but men who should know assert the real trouble is the embarrassment of certain men popularly rated as millionaires.

The belief is general that the present depression in the market is due to the desire of powerful interests to punish those who opposed them successfully in the past. It is claimed by operators that the forcing down of the so-called Gould shares has been accomplished by a coterie of men whose interests have been in days gone by attacked by the Goulds.

These men now control to a certain extent the money market, and they are said to have refused loans to persons directly interested. Another strong bear argument is the investigation being made by the special grand jury named to look into the financial situation by Justice Dowling of the affairs of the Delaware and Hudson Railway. Delaware and Hudson has been under pressure for some time and it was a generally accepted belief that outsiders were trying to wrest control of it from Harriman and his friends. The news that the grand jury was looking into Delaware and Hudson was a distinct surprise to the market and inasmuch as the matter under investigation is a closely guarded secret many wild rumors are being circulated.

Affairs in Hayti.

Port Au Prince, Hayti, Feb. 20.—President Nord Alexis is nearer a clash today with the French and German ministers and Spanish consul at Gonaives than at any time since leaders of the recent Haytien rebellion took refuge with the diplomats. Alexis is not prepared, indeed, to go to the extent of violating the sanctity of the diplomats' home, but, learning that attempts are likely to smuggle the refugees out of the country, he has so securely bottled up the ports that their escape is virtually impossible. The diplomats are inclined to regard this as a grave affront, and indications are that they will take a high attitude with the President. The latter says he considers the security of his government at stake, and thinks he may as well risk French, German and Spanish anger as the certainty of the revolutionary outbreaks which he is sure will follow if malcontents consider themselves safe from punishment.

San Domingo, Feb. 20.—The authorities have failed to account for the gunpowder explosion at Couty in which forty guests at a christening were injured. There was no reason why the explosives should have been in or near the house and suspicions are entertained of an assassination plot. Communication with Coty is slow, however, and full details have not yet been received. General Guabyn, the host, and Governor of Macoris, and General Tejera, governor of the city of San Domingo, are said to have been so seriously hurt that they may die.

Death of Senator Lattimer.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Senator Lattimer, of South Carolina, who had been at Providence Hospital, following an operation for appendicitis, died this morning at that institution. The immediate cause of his death was peritonitis.

Asbury Churchwell Lattimer had been a Senator since March 5, 1903, when he took his seat as the successor of John L. McLaurin, with whom Senator Tillman once had a fist-fight on the floor of the Senate. Previously to becoming a Senator Latimer served five terms as a member of the House. He was born in Abbeville, S. C., 57 years ago, and spent much of his life in active farming. Quiet and unobtrusive, Lattimer seldom was heard in debate, but he was recognized as a useful and hard working committee member. He served on some of the most important committees of the Senate. His hobby was "good roads," and a bill of which he was the author and which proposed government aid in the development and improvement of the roads of the country, has attracted considerable attention. Senator Lattimer always stood high in the councils of his party.

Victory for Harriman.

Chicago, Feb. 20.—Judge Ball today decided the Illinois Central controversy in favor of E. H. Harriman. Judge Ball sustained the right of the Railroad Securities Company, a foreign corporation, to own and vote stock in the Illinois Central, an Illinois corporation, and thereby clinched Harriman's control of the road. The decision, while coming from a court of minor jurisdiction, is far reaching in effect. Had it gone against Harriman the rule laid down would have involved a large percentage of the corporations in Illinois. Judge Ball ordered dissolved the temporary injunction granted Fish to prevent Harriman's interests from voting the contested stock in the election of officers of the Illinois Central. Harriman's victory was complete. By the decision Fish, the former president of the line, will be ousted from power, for it is conceded that with the Union Pacific and Railroad Securities Company shares, Harriman controls enough to give him more than the balance of power.

The Fleet at Callao.

Lima, Peru, Feb. 20.—All preparations have been completed for the reception of the American battleship fleet in Callao harbor at 9 a. m. today. The celebration and series of entertainments to the visitors' will be on the grandest scale ever given in Peru. Not only will this be a holiday, but a fiesta has also been declared by President Pardo for Saturday, George Washington's birthday. Message from the fleet indicate that Admiral Evans is still in such poor health that he will probably be unable to leave his cabin during the vessels' stay here.

Lima, Feb. 20.—The United States battleship fleet was sighted from Callao harbor just before 8 a. m. today and an hour later steamed into port, the ships in single file and fluttering with bunting while the guns thundered an exchange of salutes with the forts ashore.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts upon the bowels and thereby drives the cold out of the system. It contains no opiates—it is pleasant to take and is highly recommended for children. Sold by W. F. Creighton.

Fire in Cotton Yarn Mill.

Philadelphia, Feb. 20.—With the firemen handicapped by danger of falling walls and 250 girl employed thrown into a wild panic, the cotton yarn mill of Thomas Henry and Sons was a raging furnace this morning and the fire threatened to spread to adjoining structures. In their flight to escape twenty of the operatives were overcome by the dense smoke. None was fatally hurt. The fire was confined to the hosiery mill which was completely gutted, only the walls remaining standing. Loss $200,000.

Anti-Bryan Movement.

Boston, Feb. 20—The first definite movement to send a New England State delegation to the democratic convention favorable to the nomination of Governor John Johnson, of Minnesota, is now on foot among city and county organizations of Massachusetts. This effort is not so much pro-Johnson as anti-Bryan. Bryan is too intimately identified with the present leaders to satisfy those who believe the salvation of the party in Massachusetts is to throw the old crowd overboard and refit.

Snow Bound.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 20.—Thirteen passenger trains are today stalled in the snow at various points throughout the lower peninsula, while no freight is being moved, on account of the worst snow storm in Michigan since 1884. In western Michigan two feet of snow fell in 30 hours and the hamlets are completely cut off. Near Kalamazoo a fast flyer is stalled with five mogule trying to extricate it.

LETTER TO SAMUEL H LUNT

Alexandria, Virginia.

Dear Sir: The hardest climate for paint is Florida; and Devoe is the longest wearing paint in that State.

D G Smith, of Madison, Fla., says: "I painted my mother's house Devoe 11 years ago, and today it looks better than other houses in town that were painted 3 or 4 years ago." Three or four and eleven.

This shows two things: (1) the low standard of paint in that part of the country; and (2) that Devoe is the paint that wears.

It doesn't show the whole fact; which is: Devoe is the paint that takes least gallons to do the job, makes first cost by a ratio of 2 to 3, 2 to 4, 2 to 5, 2 to 6, for the job.

Smith wasn't thinking about the cost of the job; it was done a long time ago. He was thinking how well the house loooks after 11 years wear in that hot climate, and how long it will be before painting again.

Yours truly,
F W DEVOE & Co.

P. S.—E. S. Leadbeater & Sons sell our paint. 71

Receivers Appointed.

New York, Feb. 20—Supreme Court Justice Platzek today appointed Joseph J. O'Donohue and Joseph Day temporary receivers of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company on application of Attorney General Jackson. An order to show cause why permanent receivers should not be appointed was set down for hearing March 2.

THE HAIR BRUSH.

Breeds Dandruff, Which Causes Falling Hair and Finally Baldness.

Prof. Unna, Hamburg, Germany, European authority on skin diseases, says that dandruff is as contagious as any other malevolent disease, and that one common source of the spread of dandruff is the use of the same hair brush by different persons. The way to avoid catching dandruff or any other disease from another's brush, is to insist on the use of Newbro's Herpicide. It not only kills the dandruff germ, but it is also an antiseptic that will prevent the catching of any disease whatever through contagion of another's brush.

Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., agents Sends 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. 118

New York Stock Market.

New York, Feb 20.—There was buying by semi-banking interests in the market again this much of the same character as appeared yesterday and orders through these houses induced the trading element on the floor to take the bull side during the first hour and help along a fair upward movement.

Neglected Colds Threaten Life.

[From the Chicago Tribune.]

"Don't trifle with a cold,' is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in the case of a child Proper food, good ventilation, and dry warm clothing are the proper safeguards against colds. If they are maintained through the changeable weather of autumn, winter and spring, the chances of a surprise from ordinary colds will be slight. But the ordinary light cold will become severe if neglected, and a well-established ripe cold is the germs of diphtheria what honey is to the bee. The greatest menace to child life at this season of the year is the neglected cold." Whether it is a child or adult, the cold slight or severe, the very best treatment that can be adopted is to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is safe and sure. The great popularity and immense sale of this preparation has been attained by its remarkable cures of this ailment. A cold never results in pneumonia when it is given. For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

A WIFE'S ALLEGATION.

Under the head of "To Whom It May Concern" in the Deposit and Hancock, N. Y., papers, Mrs. Bertha Crawford, residing near the former village says:

"I, Bertha Ella Crawford, hereby state that I have left Ford W. Crawford's bed (of rough hardwood boards), also his board (of dry potatoes and ginger snaps) with just cause and provocation. When a man will store his money away in a trunk and lock it up, while his wife takes care of three cows and horses, with summer underclothing on, rather than to take some of his old coins and buy her some clothes, ask a wife then if she has just cause to leave her husband."

Wholesale Prices of Produce

Flour Extra	4 00	a	4 25
Family	5 00	a	5 25
Fancy brands	5 50	a	5 75
Wheat, longberry	0 98	a	1 02
Mixed	0 93	a	0 95
Futz	0 93	a	0 95
Damp and tough	0 80	a	0 85
New Cob Corn, per bbl	3 00	a	3 25
Corn, white	0 73	a	0 75
Mixed	0 70	a	0 73
Yellow	0 70	a	0 73
Corn Meal	0 80	a	0 82
Rye	0 00	a	0 80
Oats, mixed, new	0 58	a	0 60
White, new	0 63	a	0 65
Elgin Print Butter	0 32	a	0 34
Butter, Virginia, packed	0 16	a	0 18
Choice Virginia	0 23	a	0 26
Common to middling	0 14	a	0 16
Eggs	0 30	a	0 31
Live Chickens (hens)	0 11	a	0 12
Spring Chickens	0 14	a	0 15
Dressed Hogs	0 8	a	0 9
Potatoes, per bu	0 75	a	0 85
Sweet Potatoes (barrel)	2 80	a	3 00
Yams	1 00	a	1 25
Onions, per bushel	1 00	a	1 25
Dried Cherries	0 12	a	0 14
Dried Apples	0 04½	a	0 06
Apples, per bbl	0 00	a	3 50
Dried Peaches, peeled	0 10½	a	0 14
Pork, per 100 lbs	7 50	a	8 50
Bacon, country hams	0 15½	a	0 16
Best sugar-cured hams	0 15½	a	0 16
Butchers' hams	0 16	a	0 16
Breakfast Bacon	0 12½	a	0 13
Sugar-cured shoulders	0 10	a	0 10½
Bulk shoulders	0 10½	a	0 11
Dry Salt sides	0 9½	a	0 10
Fat backs	0 08	a	0 8½
Bellies	0 9½	a	0 10
Sugars—Brown	4 35	a	4 44
Off A	4 40	a	4 45
Conf. standard	0 00	a	4 85
Granulated	4 95	a	5 25
Coffees—Rio	0 10½	a	0 14
LaGuayra	0 15	a	0 16
Java	0 18	a	0 28
Molassas B. S	0 9	a	0 14
C. B	0 17	a	0 22
New Orleans	0 20	a	0 45
Sugar Syrups	0 16	a	0 28
Porto Rico	0 18	a	0 35
Salt—G. A	0 62	a	0 65
Fine	0 82	a	1 20
Turk's Island	1 00	a	1 00
Wool—long, unwashed	0 28	a	0 29
Washed	0 28	a	0 29
Merino, unwashed	0 28	a	0 29
Do. washed	0 28	a	0 29
Herring, Eastern per bbl	6 75	a	7 50
Potomac No 1	3 50	a	4 25
No. 1 Cut Potomac Herring	4 25	a	4 50
Potomac family roe	4 50	a	5 00
Do. half barrel	2 25	a	3 00
Potomac Shad, per half bbl		a	7 50
Mackerel, small per bbl	13 00	a	14 00
No. 3 medium	14 00	a	14 50
No. 2	15 00	a	16 00
Plaster, ground, per ton	4 50	a	5 00
Ground in bags	5 00	a	5 50
Lump	3 50	a	3 75
Clover Seed	6 50	a	7 55
Timothy	2 25	a	2 0
Hay	21 00	a	22 00

DIED.

At 5:30 a. m, Thursday, February 20, 1908, RAYMOND L. BELEW, infant son of Geo. and Lula C. Belew, aged seven days. Funeral from the residence, 124 north Pitt street, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

MEMBERS of the FRIENDSHIP VETERAN FIRE ASSOCIATION are notified to meet at their hall TONIGHT at 8 o'clock to make final arrangements to participate in the parade on the 22nd. A full attendance is desired.

By order of the President.
1t J. Y. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

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1312 Princess, 6 rooms, $12.50.
1314 Princess, 6 rooms, $12 50.
417 Queen, 6 rooms, $10 50
402 south Lee, 6 rooms, $10
126 north Payne, 5 rooms, $9.
117 Prince, 8 rooms, $8.
415 south Alfred, 6 rooms, $7.50.
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629 south Patrick, 5 rooms, $7.00.

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208 King, $25.
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Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, FEB. 20, 1908.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:46 a. m. and sets 5:43. High water at 10:33 a. m. and 10:53.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair, colder tonight, temperature about 18 degrees. Friday fair; fresh northwesterly winds becoming variable.

THE PARADE ON THE 22d.

Another meeting of the George Washington Birthday Association was held last night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. President J. Y. Williams presided.

Secretary H. B. Caton announced that he expected the Warrenton Rifles here Saturday. He looked for a definite reply from the commander by Friday.

The chairmen of the different committees made reports, and many of the details in connection with the proposed celebration were arranged. In fact, everything seems to have been anticipated, and the clearing conditions now prevailing have, in a measure, relieved the anxiety of some as to the nature of the weather likely to prevail Saturday.

As has been stated, a committee will go to Mount Vernon between 9:30 and 9:45 Saturday morning and place a wreath on Washington's tomb. The distinguished visitors from Washington will be conveyed on the palace car Mount Vernon to this city between 12 and 1 o'clock.

Mr. James E. Clements, commander of Alexandria county aides on the staff of the chief marshal, is endeavoring to get as many persons as possible from Washington and Alexandria county to visit this city Saturday. Mr. Clements' object is to obtain a large number of mounted horsemen to act as aides to the chief marshal. The men of Washington district will wear dark coats and hats, and assemble at 10 o'clock Saturday morning at the Carne schoolhouse, where they will be under the immediate command of R. C. L. Moncure, R. Gordon Finney, Walter L. Weaver, B. D. Beteler, Jacob E. Birch, W. N. Febrey, John Morris and Theodore A. R. Taff. The entire command will march to this city and form for the parade, which starts at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Second Regiment of the District of Columbia Militia, under command of Col. Urell, will participate in the celebration. The regiment will be accompanied by the brigade band, and expects to make a splendid showing. The regimental field and staff, and the field and staffs of the battalions will be mounted. Col. Urell has announced that the regiment will parade, whatever weather conditions may be, and that promptly at 12:30 o'clock the line will be formed in Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, with the right resting on Seventh street. The men will wear the dress uniform—white collars and gloves, black shoes, and overcoats with capes buttoned back.

It is stated that between the government bands and those engaged by the association there will be a band for every square and a half of the parade. It was also announced that there would be over five hundred sailors in line, headed by a band of forty pieces.

The dispatch boat Dolphin will not anchor off this city Saturday, as had been expected, but the association has asked General Harries to send two sloops belonging to the District of Columbia to this port to fire salutes on the day of the celebration.

The officers commanding the sloops will be requested to fire salutes about 7 o'clock in the morning, and the proprietors of the various factories in the city will be asked to sound their whistles at that time.

All arrangements have been completed for the entertainment of the visitors. Members of the press will be quartered at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce; distinguished guests at Lee Camp Hall; Alexandria county delegation at the city hall. The soldiers and sailors who will take part will be served luncheon in the east wing of the city market building.

The work of cleaning the streets of the city is now in progress.

Mr. J. H. Trimyer, first vice president of the George Washington Birthday Association, and Mr. E. E. Downham, chairman of the receiving committee, went to Washington today to wait on Speaker Cannon who is to deliver an address at the Washington Lodge banquet, and request him to come over in time to witness the parade. Mr. Cannon expressed his regrets, and related that owing to the death of Senator Lattimer the House would adjourn early today and would in all probability be in session on Saturday. Representative Henry, of Texas, said he was coming and would bring a few of his associate representatives with him.

The work of decorating buildings throughout the city is being pushed.

The Young Cowboys, a juvenile organization of thii city, will participate in the celebration,

FORMATION OF PROCESSION

The Washington Birthday Association announces the following formation.

Chief Marshal and Staff on Duke street, right resting on Washington; Military Division on Duke street, right resting on Pitt street, column extending down Duke to Lee, on Lee to Cameron, on Cameron to Washington.

Secret Organization Division right resting on Cameron, column on Royal to Queen, on Queen to Washington.

Fire Department Division right resting on Duke, column extending on Lee to Wolfe, on Wolfe to Fairfax, on Fairfax to Gibbon.

Tonight there will be meetings of several committees at the Chamber of Commerce.

Maj. William M. Smith, chairman of the military committee has called a meeting of that committee for tomorrow evening, when details for the care of visiting military will be completed.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

A meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners was held last night. Chief Goods submitted his monthly report. A special meeting of the board will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock for the purpose of granting permission for special officers for that day. Those who desire special officers on that day will, of course, bear the expense.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently but promptly on the bowels. It stops the cough by soothing the throat and lung irritation. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Broken lots of Ladies' Fine Shoes at about half price. J. A. Marshall & Bro. 422 King street.

ELKS' CARNIVAL.

Another large crowd favored the carnival with its presence last night and merriment ruled supreme between the hours of 8 and 12 o'clock. All that goes to make an evening enjoyable has been provided by the committee in charge and those who attend are not slow to take advantage of it. The Cigar Booth, in which is located the Gipsy Garden, is one of the greatest attractions, not only on account of the wonderful power of the future reader, but mainly because of its pretty girls, a galaxy of bright eyed and fair haired maidens not excelled anywhere. The costumes of the girls show exquisite taste. The destiny of this booth is in the hands of Mrs. Zoro Hill, Mrs. Frank Hamilton and Miss Ruth Spinks. The singing of Messrs. R. L. Wenzel and Forrest Birrell was greatly enjoyed, being encored several times. The committee wishes to acknowledge handsome donations from Messrs. E. E. Downham and Lowenbach Bros. and from Mr. Elie Shreis, of Washington, who donates daily all the candy used at the Martha Washington Booth. This will be the banner night of the carnival as there will be present several hundred visiting Elks, Washington Lodge and Fredericksburg Lodge both being invited. In addition thd Alexandria Ideal Mandolin Club will discourse music during the evening.

The Post-office, presided over by Mrs. Theodore Ale and Miss Carrie Bernheimer, adds a large degree of pleasure to the carnival. A number of letters and packages are in the post-office waiting to be called for.

Hon. C. C. Carlin paid a visit to the carnival last night and was treated royally by the ladies.

Among the donations to the carnival we want to mention 250 Choice cigars, by Hamilton & Co.

Fully five hundred children accepted the invitation of Alexandria Lodge of Elks yesterday afternoon to visit the carnival now in progress in the armory on south Royal street, and the matinee was a huge success. Members of the lodge were dressed in fantastic costumes of every description and did everything possible to amuse the young ones.

A PRETTY WEDDING.

A beautiful home wedding took place last evening at the residence of Mr. George Uhler on Cameron street, when, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends, his daughter, Miss Eliza Seldon Uhler, became the bride of Mr. Thomas Anderson Sommers, of Baltimore, Rev. Arthur Seldon Lloyd, of New York, uncle of the bride, performing the ceremony. Promptly at half-past six o'clock, to the strains of the wedding march from Lohengrin, the bride entered the drawing-room on the arm of her father and was met at the prettily decorated bower by the bridegroom and his best man, Mr. Charles Smoot.

The only attendant of the bride was her sister, Miss Rebecca Lloyd Uhler, and the ribbons marking the aisle were held by little Miss Elizabeth Booth and Master Edward Oliver.

The bride's gown was white silk and Brussels lace; her veil was caught with orange blossoms and her bouquet was of white carnations and lilies of the valley. Miss Rebecca Lloyd Uhler was daintily dressed in pink silk and carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

After the ceremony a reception was held in which Mrs. Uhler and Mrs. Sommers, mothers of the bride and groom, assisted the young couple in receiving. Later Mr. and Mrs. Sommers left for a northern bridal trip.

GEORGE WASHINGTON PARK.

The two hundred lots offered for sale in the Shooter's Hill property have been disposed of by Mr. A. J. Wedderburn, secretary of the Washington Monument Association, and in order to get an option on the Spring Park property, adjoining, 200 more lots will have to be sold by sundown February 22. Of this number 89 have been purchased, leaving only 111 to be disposed of. It is believed that this will be a profitable investment, especially as Mt. Vernon avenue will pass through these properties, and a bill has been favorably reported in the Senate of the United States appropriating $120,000 which will eventually go to aid the project. As the secretary, of the association lives out of the city those desiring to secure one of the remaining lots should write or see him personally before Saturday. Among the out of town purchasers are Judge C. E. Nicol, of Prince William, and R. Walton Moore and F. W. Richardson, of Fairfax.

CHARGED WITH STEALING A GOOSE.

There was but one case before the Police Court this morning. Officer Rawlett had arrested Joseph and Robert Washington, two colored boys, at the instance of Juretta Miller, an elderly colored woman, who alleged that the prisoners had killed a goose belonging to her and had carried it to their house in the northwestern section of the city. After she had testified a colored man alleged that he had witnessed the entire procedure. He said the goose had been killed by a colored man, who carried it away. He gave the name of the accused, and the latter will be arrested. The boys were dismissed.

MR. SNYDER'S CONDITION.

The condition of Mr. Thomas J. Snyder, who was shot by highwaymen on Shooter's Hill road about two weeks ago, was said to be favorable this morning. He is still at the Alexandria Hospital. It has been determined to take Mr. Snyder to Washington as soon as possible in order that the bullet now in his chest can be located. The examination of Edward Downs, Harry Hicks and Wilbert Cook, the three young men held on suspicion of being concerned in the crime, will not take place until Mr. Snyder is able to appear.

OLDE FOLKES' CONCERTE.

Another large audience attended the Olde Folke's Concerte at the Young People's Building of the M. E. Church South last night. All who participated acted well their parts, and the assemblage was delighted with the entertainment.

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PERSONAL.

Misses Mary and Lottie LaGrande, of Richmond, are visiting Miss Anna Tennyson, on Cameron street.

Mr. Joseph Driefuss, an Alexandria business man, who was on his way to Charlottesville, spent a few hours with Mr. Ernest Boyer, of 7 south Fourth street, last night.—[Richmond Journal.

Miss Maggie Spengler, of Strasburg, is visiting Mrs. George LeHue on King street.

The Senior Euchre Club was beautifully entertained last night by Dr. and Mrs. Hugh McGuire at their residence on Washington street. The prizes were awarded Mrs. W. J. Boothe, Miss Hollohan and Messrs. G. L. Boothe and E. O. Dunn.

Mrs. H. M. Parrish, who has been quite sick at her home near Braddock station, is improving.

Mr. O. H. Callahan is confined to his home on south Fairfax street by sickness.

Mr. William Rogers is confined to his home on Fayette street by indisposition.

YOUNG MEN'S SENATE.

The Young Men's Senate will hold an executive session tonight at eight o'clock. A resolution was adopted at the last session calling on the Senators to show good and sufficient reasons why their States should be allowed representation in the Senate.

Several Senators will speak at the session tonight setting forth the history of their States, the services rendered the government, and the distinguished men given to the world.

CHARTER.

The Corporation Commission has issued a charter of wide scope to a number of gentlemen who have formed the Breeders' Association of Virginia, "to encourage the breeding of horses in this State and to improve the breeding." The principal office is Rosslyn, the authorized capital is fixed at $50,000, and the officers are: Henry Fairfax, president; H. Rozier Dulany, vice-president; Arthur B. Hancock, secretary, and William O. Eustis, treasurer.

Some broken sizes in Hess shoes $5 and $6 grades, $2.50 get them, if you are quick. Marshall, 422 King street

MASONIC BANQUET.

All preparations for the banquet to be given Saturday night by Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons have been perfected, and an enjoyable time is anticipated. As has been stated, Speaker Cannon, Representative Champ Clark and Mr. Bennett will be among the honored guests. Out-of-town visitors will be admitted by card.

Skin Disease of Twenty Years' Standing Cured.

I want you to know how much Chamberlain's Salve has done for me. It has cured my face of a skin disease of almost twenty year's standing. I have been treated by several as smart physicians as we have in this country and they did me no good, but two boxes of this salve has cured me.—Mrs. Fannie Griffen, Troy, Ala. Chamberlain's Salve is for sale by. W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Attention is called to the decorations advertised by R. E. Knight.

Cries of murder were heard early last night in the extreme southwestern section of the city.

The schooner Clara A. Donnell, with ice for the Mutual Ice Company of Alexandria, sailed from Boothby, Me., on the 15th instant.

Raymond L, infant son of Mr. George and Mrs. Lula C. Belew, died at his parents' residence, 124 north Pitt street, this morning.

The weather became fair and cold early last night, but there were snow flurries later. The weather today has been clear and crisp.

A strange negro, who was acting in a suspicious manner, caused uneasiness to some people living in the vicinty of Braddock Heights last night.

A little son of Mr. Albert Dreifus was knocked down and run over by a wagon on King street, near St. Asaph, this afternoon, and painfully injured.

Members of the Friendship Veteran Fire Association will meet at their hall tonight to make final arrangements to participate in the parade on the 22nd.

The Circuit Court for the County is still engaged in the trial of Frank Hitchcock indicted for an assault upon Mrs. Bessie Beach, on August 6th last.

Fresh shad and herring are becoming more plentiful in market. The fish come from the south. Shad sell at from 40 to 50 cents each and herring at 35 cents a dozen.

About a dozen vessels loaded with oysters have passed up the river for Washington during the past forty-eight hours. There are no oysters at the wharf at this port.

Marion L. Thomasson, an engineer on the Pennsylvania Railroad, fell from his engine in the Potomac railway yards early this morning and broke several small bones in his foot.

Mr. Joseph Moore and his son Morgan have constructed a fine motor boat, which will be placed on the river in the early spring. The boat is 28 feet 8 inches long, and it is expected to attain a high rate of speed.

The door of an office on the south side of King street, between Fairfax and Lee, was found open this morning. Officer Garvey made an examination, but nothing appeared to be missing. It is supposed that a drunken man fell against the door.

Alexandria Council, No. 33, Jr. O. U. A., will hold its regular meeting this evening when final arrangements will be made for participating in the parade on next Saturday. A large attendance on the part of the membership is expected.

At a meeting of Alva Aerie No. 871 Fraternal Order of Eagles held last evening an invitation from Alexandria Lodge No. 758 B. P. O. Elks to attend their carnival on Friday evening was accepted. The members of this aerie will attend on that evening.

Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Mary C. Broadus, whose death occurred on Tuesday, took place at 5 o'clock yesterday yesterday at her home, 601 Queen street. Rev. Dr. W. F. Fisher, pastor of the Baptist Church, conducted the services. The remains were forwarded this morning to Culpeper for burial.

The city of Alexandria is going to use about five hundred pounds of Auth's cooked ham on the 22nd. That a pretty good argument in favor of the "Auth" quality, Eh? Sylvan Blondheim, city market feb20 3t

J. M. Pettit, jr., has in his store, 717 King street, a lot of the prettiest dressed turkeys seen here this winter. Of all he has handled this season these are positively the best. He also has among his vast stock of fruit, oranges grown on the irrigated desert of Arizona. These oranges are unequaled for sweetness juciness and rich color. They are handled by him exclusively. Visitors always welcome. feb20 2t

Bert Barber, of Flton, Wis., says: "I have only taken four doses of your Kidneys and Bladder pills and they have done for me more than any other medicine has ever done. Mr. Barber refers to DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills". They are sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

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THURSDAY EVENING, FEB. 20, 1908.

Long Lived Icelanders.

It would be interesting to know if any part of the world beats Iceland in the average length of life of its inhabitants. It is shown by statistics that on an average the people of that island live to the age of 61.8 years, which is very nearly double the mean duration of human life as it was computed a generation ago. Sweden and Norway are regarded as very healthful countries, but Iceland takes the palm in longevity, the mean duration of life in Sweden being 50.02 years and in Norway 49.94 years.

Some of Iceland's earthquakes are nerve racking; but, on the whole, the lives of most of its simple and industrious inhabitants slip along with few incidents that unduly stimulate or depress the pulse. Summer and winter the same old mail boat from Leith steams into the harbor of Reykjavik every three weeks, but very rarely brings news that touches Iceland so closely as to make excitement. In fact the little island enjoys many of the advantages of civilization and avoids most of its drawbacks.—Christian Advocate.

When We Were All Tenors.

The primitive inhabitants of Europe were all tenors. Their descendants of the present time are baritones, and future generations will have semibass voices. The voice has a tendency to deepen with age. The tenor of twenty becomes the baritone of twenty-eight and the bass of thirty-six. The inferior races have higher pitched voices than the more cultured. The negro has a higher voice than the white man. Among white races the fair complexioned man has a higher voice than his darker skinned brother. The former is usually a baritone or a tenor, the latter a contralto or bass. It is asserted that tenors are usually of slender build, whereas basses are stout, but there are too many exceptions to such a rule for it to be reliable. The same remark applies to the statement that thoughtful men have deep toned voices, and vice versa. The tones of a voice are perceptibly higher before than after a meal, for which reason tenors are generally careful not to sing too soon after dinner.—Pearson's Weekly.

Ways of Hunting.

Deerstalking among the Dogrib Indians is managed by a skillful counterfeit of the animal. Two hunters walk together—the man behind with bent body, the one in front carrying a stag's head. The legs of the men serve very well for the fore and hind legs of the animal. In this way the hunters get almost in the midst of a herd of deer before the creatures are aware of danger.

The ostrich is hunted in a similar way by the bushmen of South Africa, and the Eskimos sometimes come to close quarters with seals by dressing themselves in sealskins and dexterously mimicking the style of swimming and "flopping" so characteristic of the animal.

In Australia the natives bring the wallaby or young kangaroo within the range of the spear by suspending a small bird's skin and feathers from the end of a long rod and imitating the bird's cry.—London Strand.

Farsighted Economy.

Mrs. Wipedunks — Jenkinson, we ought to take one of the first class magazines. It's only $4 a year, and the children are getting old enough now to have something good to read.

Mr. Wipedunks—Only $4 a year! That's all, is it? If you begin on magazines you'll think you have to keep it up. At the end of every year you'll want to have 'em bound. There's two volumes in a year. Costs $1 a volume for binding. That makes $6 a year. In ten years it's $60. Then you'll want a bookcase to hold the twenty volumes. That'll cost about $25 because you'll think it ought to be big enough to hold the twenty more volumes. There's $85 thrown away. Do you think I'm made of money? If you want to read the magazines, what's the matter with borrowing 'em?—Chicago Tribune.

A Great Telescope.

A number of persons were talking about telescopes, and each professed to have looked through the "largest in the world." One after another told of the powerful effect of the respective telescopes. At last a quiet man said mildly: "I once looked through a telescope. I don't know that it was the largest in the world. I hope it wasn't. But it brought the moon so near that we could see the man in it gesticulating wildly and crying out: 'Don't shoot! Don't shoot!' The old duffer thought it was a big cannon that we were pointing at him." The quiet man subsided and so did all the rest.

Gravitation.

The law of gravitation is thus given in Newton's words: "Every particle of matter in the universe attracts every other particle with a force whose direction is that of the straight line joining the two and whose magnitude is proportional directly as the product of their masses and inversely as the square of their mutual distance."

Advising a Statesman.

"If you must monkey with restrictive legislation, Abner, why not go in for something popular?"

"Can such legislation be popular?"

"It can. Make it a penal offense for a man to ask for a hair cut on Saturday afternoon."—Washington Herald.

A Fitting Theme.

"Rhimer showed me his last poem. It is entitled 'Sonnet to but One.'"

"Humph! If he wrote the truth, it would be 'Owed to Everybody.'"—Baltimore American.

That man is not poor who has the use of things necessary.—Horace.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a Favorite.

"We prefer Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to any other for our children," says Mr. L. J. Woodbury of Twining, Mich. "It has also done the work for us in hard colds and croup, and we take pleasure in recommending it." For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

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SHAW'S VIEW OF IT.

Former Secretary of the Treasury Talks on Public Ownership.

Government Employees Never as Efficient as the Employees of Firms and Corporations—Tenure of Office in the Civil Service Breeds Slipshod Ways.

There are over 20,000 public servants, exclusive of presidential appointees, under the direct supervision of the department at the head of which I had the honor to temporarily preside. They are a good, conscientious, painstaking body of men and women, and yet if the treasury department were a private enterprise every whit as much work could be accomplished with a reduction of one-third in number and one-fourth in the salary of those remaining. This condition is not to be charged to civil service rules and regulations, of which I most heartily approve, but to the inherent nature of public service.

Some years ago while walking through Lincoln park, Chicago, I noticed a group of twenty-five or more men pushing lawn mowers. Stopping to make some inquiry of a policeman, I innocently asked why the city did not use mowers drawn by horses. I shall long remember his reply: "I guess you don't live in Chicago, do you? How long do you think the city administration would live if it mowed the park with horses?"

The cornerstone of the city hall in Philadelphia was laid on July 4, 1874, but the building was not completed until the first year of the present century. The capitol at Albany was begun in the sixties, it was far enough advanced to be the scene of an inaugural ball in the seventies and was completed, all save the tower, for which the foundation was found insufficient, in 1899. In the meantime the two great political parties alternated in control, and I am told in one or more instances four generations performed work on the building.

The appropriation for the public building in Chicago was signed by Grover Cleveland, and about sixty days ago I made final settlement and signed the draft for the last payment and was then able to answer public criticism because the work had progressed so slowly with record proof that it had been about as expeditiously built as most structures of its character erected by the government.

The Harlem river, extending from the Hudson to the East river, eight miles in length, was dredged by the government to a depth of fifteen feet in seventeen years.

Now note a few instances of private enterprise. In 1904 the Pennsylvania railroad began the construction of twin tunnels through the mud beneath the Hudson river and four tunnels extending thence under the city of New York and beneath the East river to Long Island City, and now at the end of two years feels confident that its fifteen miles of nineteen foot waterproof tunnel will be completed and in use within the contract period of four years.

John B. McDonald began work on the subways of New York in March, 1900, and had nine miles with double track and stations in operation in four years and seven months.

These instances illustrate the natural, the necessary and the inevitable differences between private enterprise and government work and might be multiplied indefinitely.

I do not know that I can explain the reasons why these differences must and always will exist better than to recite a very commonplace experience. I received a telegram some days ago from the cashier of a little bank in which I am interested. It read: "I am offered $42.50 an acre for your East Boyer land. What shall I do?" I answered: "You know better than I do. Do as you think best." To this he replied, "I think the land is well sold." These telegrams were not even preserved. But if I had been acting for the government I would have had the land advertised for sale, I would have sent a commission to examine and appraise it, I would have had not less than two subordinate officers of the department go through all the papers and submit their recommendations, I would then have rendered final decision, but I would have been careful to preserve a complete record of everything, lest on some unhappy day after my retirement and perhaps after my demise an investigating committee, appointed perchance by an adverse congress, would make inquiry and, failing to find positive proof of honesty, would make a report filled with suggestions of doubt, and that would be quite enough to brand my name with shame. My subordinates took the same precautions and safeguard their reputations with an equal amount of red tape whenever they sell an old horse or wornout piece of furniture.

It is the appropriate function of the government to safeguard the individual and to see that the game of business is fairly played, that the cards are held above the table and that everybody is given a square deal. It is not the appropriate function of the government to sit in the game.

Control Easier Than Operation.

The plea for municipal ownership seems logical in communities that appear to be unable to control public utility corporations. But if cities with all their law making and law enforcing power cannot cope with corporations which operate by their sufferance, would they be more able to manage these companies themselves?—Kansas City Star.

MEETINGS.

THE annual meeting of the stock holders of the WOODLEY APARTMENT HOUSE COMPANY, will be held at No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY AFTERNOON, February 24th, 1908, at 2:30 o'clock. W. W. W. PARKER, feb11 td Secretary.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of E. H. JANNEY CAB COUPLER COMPANY, incorporated, will be held at No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, March 2, 1908, at 3 o'clock p. m. LAURENCE STABLER, feb17 td Secretary.

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Nothing is more certain than that public ownership multiplies the possibilities of pernicious partisan activity. Employees of the postoffice department defeated Representative Loud of California because of some stand he took in congress relative to their desires. This is an indication of what might be expected under public ownership, both in city and nation.

Strong men at the head of municipal employees in street cars, parks, paving, waterworks and lighting service could swing any election they might desire to control. Officials would be paralyzed as to their duties to the public through the necessity of placating or humoring these immense bodies of municipal employees. Then we should have the leaders of the aggregation making bargains with heavy interests for the delivery of votes to desired candidates or measures. Self interest, more or less corrupt, would supersede the disinterested patriotic motives and differences of opinion on which men now divide in local and general elections.—Terre Haute Star.

Duluth, Minn.

At a recent meeting of the city council a resolution was passed authorizing the water board to make a contract with the Great Northern Power company to furnish electricity for operating the pumping station. Under the proposed contract the maximum price for pumping 1,000,000 gallons is $6.50. Last year it cost the city $8.90 per 1,000,000 gallons, without counting the cost of depreciation in the plant.—Electrical World.

A Ray of Light From England.

Municipal indebtedness resulting from taking over public service utilities has become so burdensome in England that it is seriously suggested to avoid payment of interest by redeeming the bonds with noninterest bearing municipal notes. While this plan has not yet been approved by English financiers and statesmen, it may afford a ray of hope to some of our cities that are staggering under similar burdens.

Down In Dixie.

The project to establish a municipal electric light plant was defeated by the board of aldermen of Lynchburg, Va., on the recommendation of a special committee appointed to investigate the matter.

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